





the Union hallow this Union, on all this, as an explanation of the feeling which now prevails in South Carolina. It will now be seen clearly that as South Carolina is a traitor State now, she was *Tray* State then. So with a sour discontent she regarded every act of the General Government; she felt no sympathy with her sister States. The National Emancipator has ever been to her, not things of pride, but of hatred. Can it be a matter of wonder then, when such was the feeling of the Colony during the Revolution, such the feeling of that Colony when she became a State; that she should be ever ready to revolt against the Government—that in that State traitors have been constantly plotting conspiracies ever been concocted? It can to him who understands aright the history of that State, be a matter of no surprise that there have from the very beginning been men in South Carolina—the descendants of the old Tories, who have been ready to seize on any pretext whatever which afforded them any opportunity to give vent to their cherished hate to the Union. For in the Union they saw that which they and their ancestors had fought and hated. In the Union, they beheld that growing strong which they and their fathers before them had hoped to see weaken and die, and so every thing that has tended to strengthen and enlarge and glorify the Union, has but added fuel to the flame of deadly hate felt by the descendants of the old Tories of '76. Now it is to be noticed that while in the other Cotton States the question of slavery is laid hold of, as the pretext for dissolving the Union, South

SHERIDAN KNOWLES, THE AUTHOR NOT DEAD.—*Philadelphia, Nov. 2.*—Sheridan Knowles, lost in the steamer *Arctic*, was not the author, but the Philadelphia agent of the American Bank note Company, charged with the performance of work for the Emperor of Russia.

The richest man in St. Louis is James H. Lucas, banker, worth, it is said, \$5,000,000. Peter Lindell's estate is put down at \$4,000,000, and that of Benhist banker, at \$1,500,000.

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to suppress it, denote the approach of crisis in our affairs, on which the continuance of our unexampled prosperity, or political existence, and perhaps the life of all free governments, may depend. The conjecture demanded a free, a full, and explicit enunciation, not only of my intentions, but of my principles of action; and as the claim was asserted of a right by a State to annul the laws of the Union, and even to secede from it in relation to the laws and terms of our government and the construction to give to the instrument by which they were created, I was bound by proper. Having the fullest confidence in the justice of the legal and constitutional opinion of my duties which has been expressed, I rely with confidence on your undivided support in my determination

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